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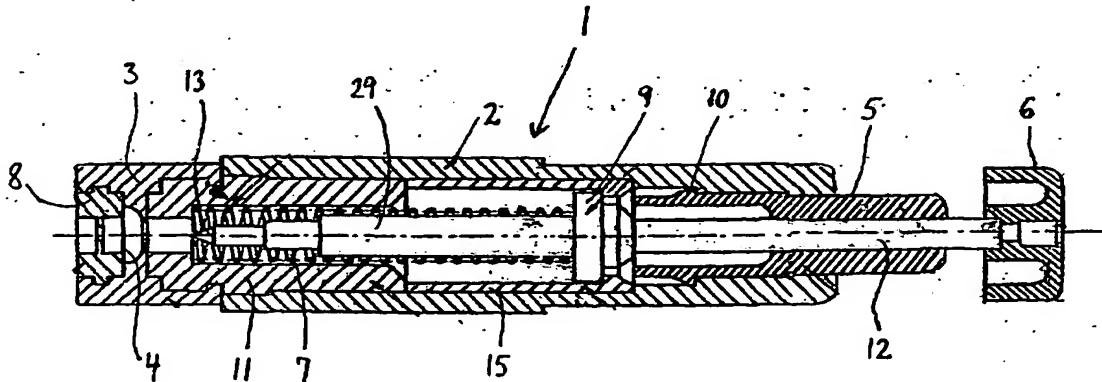
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(54) Title: ALLERGY TESTER



(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to a device (1) for delivering a medicament or a diagnostic agent to the skin or mucosa of an animal such as a human being, wherein a chamber (4) filled with the medicament or the diagnostic agent is separate from the housing (2) with a rod (29) capable of transferring the medicament or the diagnostic agent to the animal. The chamber (4) is connected to the housing (2) with the rod (29) before transfer of medicament or diagnostic agent. In particular the invention relates to a device (1) for delivering allergens in allergy tests.



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Claims Nos.: 30,31

Claims 30,31: Rule 39.1(iv) PCT - Method for treatment of the human or animal body by therapy

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1.  Claims Nos.: 30, 31 because they relate to subject matter not required to be searched by this Authority, namely:  
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